THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE. it so much. We were compelled to the hands of certain Republican leadcontains a fund of information that undoubtedly have a tendency to great- of these destructive insects.

We are proud of our Governor. He erything like the Mobilier steal. efficient one.

LEGISLATIVE ORGANIZATIONS.

The two houses convened on the 7th stand convicted of falsehood. and organized as follows:

Hon. N. K. Griggs was elected president without opposition. D. H. Wheeler was elected secretary by a vote of ten, to three for Thomas and C. G. Hine as door keeper. Geo. cierk. Rev. Mr. McElvey, (Method-

speaker. C. V. Stephenson, of Richand J. F. Lediker, of Franklin counand Samuel Jones, of Burt county, en-

cently occurred in Elis Co., Kansas, taken as asked.

The new finance bill providing for resumption of specie payments, which originated in and was passed by the Senate last week, was taken up in the House on the 7th inst., and under the previous question rule, which cuts off debate, was passed by a vate of 136 to ed to leave the revolutionary body but to 99. Dawes, of Massachusetts, and many of them were restrained by the some few other Republicans voted sergeants-at-arms by order of the against the bill but it was passed as a speaker, and by his order, also, sol-Republican measure, the Democracy generally opposing the bill. The which was done amid the cheers of Democrats of Congress generally the democratic members. agree that the measure is a good one, but then they had to oppose it because the usurpation, issued an order to an it originated with the Republicans.

tives has passed a resolution censur- had been unlawfully sworn in should ing the President and General Sheri- be required to withdraw, and, if undan for their recent course in the Lou- willing, should be compelled to do so. there has been a heavy tide of immi- depends upon the system and laws, isiana troubles, but it will hardly ev- But in each case 'hese members perer get to the Governor for his signasisted in keeping their seats until force this State, where millions of rich kers. Therefore, upon you, the repous and satisfactory handling of the public affairs. No little interest and kers. Therefore, upon you, the repous and satisfactory handling of the anxiety has been manifest throughout ture because the Senate is Republican | was used for their expulsion. and therefore loyal, and like Republi- Upon this state of facts we are still pioneer, and the number who must great responsibility. To maintain a the distributive system has never precans generally, holds no sympathy with the banditti who propose to rule with the banditti who propose to rule to quell these disturbances and nossiwith the banditti who propose to rule to quell these disturbances and possinakedness will probably be found to the State, as to individuals. Expengreat losses invariably resulted. The City lots. I have therefore prepared, Red Willow, Keith, Holt and Hitchme to extend you welcome to the capthe State, as to individuals. Expengreat losses invariably resulted. The control of the state and possithe State, as to individuals. or ruln matters in that distressful bly it may be necessary to declare be between 9,000 and 10,000. To all ditures or disbursements should not experience of other States, therefore, and the states, as to individuals. Expendent of the states, as to individuals. Expendent of the states, as to individuals. Expendent of the states, as to individuals. The states are the states and the states are th country.

That's what's the matter. They Leaguers marched through the streets bark at him because he was a well re- of New Orleans, and every night they spected and successful Union soldier, are being disciplined; and their

going into frightful delirious spasms proceedings were conceived by the East Texas Bulletin: going into frightful delirious spasms proceedings were conceived by the over the frightening prospect of Gen. Theyer's election as U. S. Senator.

Theyer's election as U. S. Senator.

The dress represented the first flag known and called taxation. In this, with State and other securities of sim-Thayer's election as U. S. Senator, overthrowing the state government. of the Confederacy. On her arm she the true principle is, that each suband we opine that if a protracted elec-tion contest should take place, that bore the flag adopted by the Confed-some will "burst their bilders". So

GEN. THAYER.

The charge on General Thayer regarding the \$5,000 of Credit Mobilier money, he is, we learn, prepared to prove a lie and a slander. He is to THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 14, 1875. show to the satisfaction of every one him, that although a certain amount We regret that we had to condense of money, probably \$5,000, came into Editor Nebraska Advertiser.

the people of the State will be grati- ly strengthen his chances for the Sen- I have consulted many persons who and an intimate association with fied to see. It is just what they want- ate. Gen. Thayer is believed by his have given the subject much atten- them, you are presumed to undered-an exposition of the affairs of the friends-and especially those who sol- tion for many years. The statements State, plain and candid, so that all diered under his command, and those and opinions of these numerous per- your time and ability will be faithful-In looking over it to cull out that of honest and truthful man; and we do they agree substantially in the most the least importance, it all seemed so not doubt that the popular vote of the important respects.

friends and himself. Nebraska may body for a Senatorial service rendered erous to subsist. have, and we hope she will have, when he was a Senator. This charge Then, like bees, they swarm and ly prevailing as to the adaptability of many good Governors—as good as Bob he denies and pronounces an outrage- migrate to other countries. They fol- our entire State to profitable cultiva-Furnas, but she could scarcely have a ous lie, and he and his friends challow no rule of emigration, but go with better, a more honorable, capable and lenge the proof of the same. Where the wind. They fly until they be-doubled itself within two years past, quality and irregularity of valuations and liquidate amounts now outstand-

LOUISIANA TROUBLES.

of Southern affairs in the light of riads of millions. Coming in the dis- developments. The productions of Wolfe, L. L. Mather, of Webster White League outrages, and suggested tance they look like a light cloud rap- the State, with the exceptions hereincounty, was chosen assistant secreta- prompt and vigorous action for the idly riding on the wind, and under after referred to, have gratified expecry. Levi A. Stebbins, of Pawnee suppression of future lawlessness .- the blazing noon-day sun they glitter gress is, perhaps, without parallel in with discreetness and wisdom, the county, was elected sergeant-at-arms, Since that time further troubles have like snow-flakes, extending from near the history of States, and cannot be F. Work, of Adams county, was occurred which we desire to notice. | the ground to the height of half a otherwise than satisfactory to interelected engrossing clerk, and J. W. At the organization of the Legisla- mile, but cast a gloomy shadow on ested participants.

Conger, of Otoe county, as enrolling ture of Louisianaon the 4th inst., the the earth. When they drop down to ist) of Cass county, was elected chap-lain. Conservatives, knowing themselves to feed, every green and gay thing is be in a minority, conceived the auda-covered in a moment, and the earth In the house Guy C. Barton was clous plan of forcing into the legisla- is gray and dismal. Only a few things ted and made a part of this message, Hoolings, of Lincon, temporary tion returns, and in defiance of the corn and the peach. Wheat and oats, affairs in the State. The Auditor's reardson county, was elected temporary statute law and the rules of the House, when the straw or grain is green, are port, particularly, will present such sergeant-at-arms. After the usual It was a well arranged scheme, as well devoured in a few hours. formal measures were taken, such as as one of unparalled audacity. It ap- When the straw or grain is some- reports cannot fail to prove interestacting upon credentials and being sworn in by the chief justice, the house proceeded to vote for officers, under the law is required to call the stem just below the head, and the tor and citizen important matters for with the following result: E. S. roll of the new members as furnished grain falls to the ground. Towle was elected speaker without by the Secretary of State, and to pre- | Corn is their staple, they go for the opposition. George L. Brown, of But side until a speaker is elected. No tassel and silk, (if there are out,) then day of November. At that date it the fiscal year 1872, there were 538 in the Union. ler county, was elected chief clerk, somer, however, had the roll been the tender grain; scrambling and was shown by the Treasurer's report; school houses in the State. valued at ty, was elected assistant. J. W. Man- called than a member nominated crowding each other like hungry pigs. ning, of l'awnee, was elected ser- Mayor Wiltz for temporary chairman They are very fond of potatoes, beans celpts from that date to date of pres- fraction over \$1,300,000. An increase geant-at-arms, and Eli Hough, of (an office unknown under the law,) and cabbage; but onions are their ent report, \$1,469,408.04, making total of over eight hundred buildings, and four; total number admitted the past Cabe, of Seward county, was elected and put the motion himself, ignoring most delicious morsel—they will dig receipts from all sources, \$1,667,695.69. door keeper. Miss Sarah C. Funke, of the clerk whom the law made the into the ground for the last particle. The total disbursements were \$1,438,- The total number of pupils at the daughter of Gen. Otto speaker, and who only could legally Usually they remain not more than Funke, was elected enrolling clerk, put the motion; declared Wiltz elect- 24 to 48 hours in a place, if the weathander (Methodist) was elected chap- question, or calling the ayes and nays, sometimes a week, if the air is chilly since the date of the report, to the apportioned by the Superintendent \$12.283.05 for the two years past, Southeastern Nebraska is highly who was standing conveniently near, After leaving their native home, they purposes, nearly the entire amount apportioned by the standard of which they come interests jutant general. In fact, there are duportioned by the standard of which they come interests jutant general. In fact, there are duportioned by the standard of which they come interests interests jutant general. In fact, there are duportioned by the standard of which they come interests interests interests interests interests interests interests. honored in having conferred upon it immediately vaulted into the speak- have never been known to propagate named, leaving actually in the treas- was nearly \$100,000 of an increase. At the two chief officers of the Legisla- er's chair and assumed to control the in their colonies more than three ury, at this date, not to exceed, perture, and we congratulate the Senate House. The audacity of this action years, and that but twice in the his- haps, \$10,000 to \$20,000. and House in secuing as presiding offi- will appear when we remember that lory of the United States. Somewhat been for a year past, at par, cash be- 200 cers gentlemen of quick business quali- these men themselves admitted that more frequently they have been ing paid by the Treasurer on presenfications and parliamentary abilities. the Republicans were in the majority known to hatch during the second tation. The registered warrants have and that the motion would have been year. But out of twenty swarms this all been paid. The State has no bond-

who murdered George Jones, Christ- cient number of democrats were sworn place, in one year. mas evening, a year ago, was hung to in, thus giving them a majority in Of those which invaded Nebraska former investment under authority of a telegraph pole by a mob on the the House. This was done without this year, 1874, the first swarms laid law, \$158,837.67; total State invest- State as collected and used the past night of December 30th, at Wallace, the usual form of a contest, or any in- eggs in several counties; but the long, ment in School Fund, \$342,957.34, two years was derived from the fol-The knot of the rope caught under quiry into the claim they had to a dry fall hatched them but and thus drawing ten per cent, interest. This his chin and didn't choke him, so he seat, the election returns having been stopped further production. hung for a long time in that position, declared by the returning board The swarms that came last seemed \$60,000 "Building Fund warrants," talking to the mob, imploring them against them. The House was then to have been hatched too far north, for the payment of which no provisto release him, but only receiving declared permanently organized, and and too late in the season to come to ion exists, are outstanding, and of jeers in return. He didn't die for Wiltz its speaker. Imagine for a mo- maturity, and consequently they laid over two hours, and finally froze to ment the two defeated candidates for no eggs. All these perished in the \$35,000 Penitentiary Building Fund the House in this county claiming first frost. The sheriff of Ellis county is mak- their seats and being sworn in withing an effort to discover and arrest out any inquiry, notwithstanding native land will be over crowded, and pose not being collected. The total their opponents have been returned when they rise up to migrate they turned to the Auditor, for 1874, was as elected. And if the same shame. will be as likely to go in one direction \$81,218,813.42, from which is deducted less proceedings-the farce of an or- as another. ganization-had been gone through with in our State capitol, what an up. Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Minne- total valuation for taxable purposes rising would it create among an out- sota it is ascertained that no eggs have \$80,754,044.17.

raged people. The republicans arose and attemptdiers were called in to clear the lobby:

But Gov. Kellogg, having heard of army officer to see that the laws were carried out in the organization of the The Indiana House of Representa- House, and that the members who

martial law in that State.

that but recently 14,000 armed White Nebraska be herself again. avowed object being opposition to the A few of our State exchanges are existing government. There very

John Buskirk of Wayne County, being engaged in a conspiracy had no senting the gloom thrown over them. State, as shown and stated, the total prohibit an excess of indebtedness be-Neb., was left alone while the mother rights which they could claim to have rights will being engaged in a conspiracy had no senting the gloom thrown over them. State, as shown and stated, the total prohibit an excess of indebtedness per property valuation for taxable purposed in a conspiracy had no property valuation for taxable purposed in a conspiracy went to milk the cow, that the room protected. But it was a part of the oppression." In which the child was left, caught scheme if they should fail in getting fire, and the child was burned to control of the legislature to provoke fire, and the child was burned to control of the legislature to provoke rebels of the party would all have million dollars' worth of property in force for their expulsion and thus as- tried to get into it!

sume the role of martyrs. For such presumptuous sinning there will not be a great deal of sympathy shown them on the part of candid men. *

THE GRASSHOPPER.

omit portions of it on account of its ers of the State for political, or elec- gration Bureau of Nebraska, one of stant and unremitting aim of those length. It is the best, most perfect tion purposes, he did not receive the the States ravaged in part by the called upon to act. You have been and comprehensive message of an cx- money nor any part of it. If the grasshopper, has led me to enquire called from your usual pursuits by the ecutive officer that we ever read. It General can and will do this, it will into the history and peculiar habits important work of legislation. Com-

well acquainted with him-to be an sons do not entirely harmonize, but ly devoted to their true interests.

points of general information, omit- would be in favor of General Thayer, southern foot-hills of the Rocky ting recommendations to the legisla- but, of course, they would require Mountains. There they are always, The growth of the State during the mills on the dollar. that his record should be clear of ev- for it is their congenial home. In greater portion of the past two years, some seasons, especially adapted to has been rapid and unprecedented. leaves the executive chair with clean Another charge against the General this end, they multiply with aston-

A horrible case of mob murder re- lost if the ayes and nayes had been has happened only three times. In other cases they have ended their ex- ness: the permanent investment of tendent as well. Joseph B. North, alias, Buffallo Joe, As quickly as possible then a suffi- istence and their race, in any given the Common School Fund, General

been laid that will hatch next spring,

Ever since the year 1849 the plains have been traveled over constantly and the movements of this Desert Locust, as it should be called, have been noted. In all this time there has been no such devastation as this year, nor is it likely that there will be recurrence of this calamity for many years, and let us hope never.

The number of persons made desti- is a brief presentation of the fluantute and dependent on aid from cial condition of the State. abroad for the next six or eight There has been a great cry made by an allowance of food for about 200 my and sound judgment should alike show, are all in favor of a general lands and lots received, for what purcely will issue the State system and of investment Nearly all the democratic and inde-pendent papers in the State are barking at Gen. Thayer's heels; but we don't think they will see the same efficient and don't think they will see the same efficient and stowed through the same efficient and stowed throug don't think they will scare him much, nary circumstances it would be a watchful agency, and seed to plant in the matter of receipts and while true, the notes are given to government, known as Saline lands, ments were issued on the 4th of April most important official obligation despenditures, approximately, and while true, the notes are given to government, known as Saline lands, ments were issued on the 4th of April most important official obligation despenditures. From this there as he did not flinch when Southern startling measure to send federal sol- the smitten district will be furnished in round numbers: The disburse- the State, they are still held by the baye been appropriated by legislative the war, and he will triumph over his enemies now as then.—Seward Reporter.

diers to eject members from a legislative body. But we must remember the collecting of the state or Nation, or both, when the collecting of the state or Nation, or both, and be equitably distributed, when sources were but \$400,000. Other the collecting of the state nor over the archives to a successor selection and be equitably distributed, when sources were but \$400,000. Other this calamity will be referred to under a natural for the past two over the archives to a successor selection and the popular expression, and the processor selection and the popular expression, and the processor selection and the processor sele

J. H. NOTEWARE, State Sup't of Immigration.

The government under which live is peculiar in its leading and essential characteristics-peculiar in ita who is disposed to deal fairly with From the Bureau of Immigration, Ne- adaptation to the wants and necessities of a free people-a prosperous, growing people. To frame and administer laws in perfect keeping with My position in charge of the Immi- these principles should be the consuffrages of your fellow-citizens to the ing, as you do, fresh from the people, stand their wants and wishes fully.

In discharge of an official duty Im-

tion has been exploded by actual exis the man who paid General Thayer come weary and hungry, and then numbering now, without doubt, at that or any other sum for services of drop down to rest and eat. They do least three hundred thousand souls. an official nature? Let those who not all go at once nor to one place. Itial improvements have kept pace started the story produce the proof or They become widely separated and with the increased population of the much divided after starting; but in newer portions of the State. Railalmost any case, whether the grand way construction has enlarged the army or some principal detachment, education, in its progress, has been Last week we took occasion to speak | they are as the sands of the sea, my- more than commensurate with other tations. Such developments and pro-

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

will be found full and detailed show- the vicious. These duties cannot be desired information as the people before have not been possessed of. Both | contrary notwithstanding."

\$234,543.41.

standing evidences of State indebted- remitting labors of the State Superintificates of State indebtedness for a fraction of two dollars per month. being a permanent investment, only the interest is to provide for. About which more detailed information will be given hereinafter. About warrants have been issued, and not It will be several years before their paid, because of the tax for that purproperty valuation in the State, as re-\$464,769.25 valuation, exempt from From extensive correspondence in taxation by reason of tree planting, as provided by law, leaving the net

except in a part of one county in Kan- purposes for the year 1874, was six would be materially less than indicaand one-fourth mills on the dollar,

enue:	ing	16	*
General Fund, 2½ mills	161, 40,	107 176	88 98
And the second s	ernore	100	21

books, are \$599,460.47. This, gentlemen of this Assembly,

Upon the successful management of months is not very fully ascertained. prosperity of the State. In a great or distributed to the counties and But for the last two or three years measure the successful management managed by local authorities. Forgration to the interior and frontier of or machinery by which it is carried principal management has been by on. These depend upon the law maacres have been awaiting the brave resentatives of the people, rests the school fund in other States, is where anxiety has been manifest throughout ture, the necessary papers, in form rethese the State Aid Society will issue exceed receipts, or resources. Econo- as well as facts in our own, as I shall lands and lots received for what part is the state and progressing in each, ex- that your labors may prove pleasant priate heads.

REVENUE AND TAXATION.

the State which should be made to

more ample possessions. ed, without being properly informed, tant day. to charge the ill where it does not belong. One of the causes is that just referred to-exemptions and evasions. Another, and by far greater, however, educational system is in excellent is that of local expenditures, or in- condition. The new building, as far sections were donated, selected and debtedness; a matter directly and ex- as completed-and occupied but little confirmed. clusively in the hands of the people, over a year-is now full. The faculty and which they themselves can rem- consists of nine professors and assist- Ninety thousand acres were donated 3d, 1873, the commissioners and no doubt is entertained but that edy, and they only.

The total State tax levy for all purposes the current year, as shown, is is hoped, will aid you in your labors. purposes, is but four and one-quarter

APPROPRIATIONS.

The Legislature is reminded that culture and intelligence. while appropriations should be made machinery of State Government must of the Nebraska Institue for Deaf and teen lots were sold for the aggregate be run, "prominent among which are Dumb shows a total of expenses for sum of \$293,358.75. Three hundred the education of the people; humane provisions for the unfortunate, insane, expended of \$13,121.21. A portion of creek bottom, and of no considerable in the cause of education, and is known blind, deaf and dumb, and idiotic- this sum was expended for perman- value at present. and restraining and reformation of ent improvements. The ordinary elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of their clan against the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected temporary clerk and A. G. ture five of the elected tempora erate and hasty expression, "not an- included provisions for additional other dollar" for this or that, to the buildings and other permanent im-

tor and citizen important matters for of Public Instruction for the years ports are, by law, made up to the 30th friends of education. At the close of of the institution as perhaps any State ern, 47.05 miles; Fremont, Elkhorn The balance on hand at date of last about \$700,000. The present report report, Dec. 1st, 1872, \$198,287.65. Re- shows 1345 school houses, valued at a \$600,000 valuation in the two years. 152 28, leaving a balance on hand of close of the year 1872 was 51,123; at ber of cases under treatment the past the close of 1874, 72,992, showing an year, seventy-five; the total expenses Out of this general balance on increase in the two years of 21,868. of the year, \$29,976.05 showing a bal. to the west—to this state—and should pers, formerly belonging to the adiaed without putting the negative of the er is warm and the sky clear; but hand, there has been apportioned The total amount of school money Temporary School Fund, over \$184, for the years 1871 and 1872 was somethough they were demanded. Wiltz, and very damp, and the sky cloudy. Temporary School Fund, over \$184, lor the years 1871 and 1872 was something and very damp, and the sky cloudy. The past two has been highly commendable, and prehend facts, are prone to charge all large require each state to have an any other what over \$370,000. The past two 1.512 qualified teachers in the State. State warrants are now, and have The reports for 1873 and 1874 show 2,-

This gratifying progress the past two years, is not only attributable to the educational spirit abroad among The average cost of tuition per pu-

Fund warrants, \$184,119.67, and cer- pil for two years has been within a The temporary School Fund of the lowing sources: Interest on School Lands sold...

nterest on Bonds and Mortgages ... nterest on Government Bonds...... Int. on Certificates Indebtedness.... 23,825 61 Interest on District Rendedness.... 23,825 61 Two mill tax, State levy ...

Omitting the two mill State tax, as sources should be: ten per cent. interbeing \$111,962.14, the same interest on \$419,847.34, permanent investment of the State Board, being \$41,994.73, and prisoners. \$14,640.85 from leased lands, making a total of \$168,597.72. If the past, however, is to be taken as a criterion for the future in the matter of inter-The total per cent. levy for all State est on school land sold, that item ted. The income from leased school lands will be increased, rather than diminished hereafter.

The educational endowment of the State is liberal and abundant. Its management is of the greatest imsold at the minimum price fixed by law, would create a permanent school The total delinquent taxes due in fund of over twenty millions of dolthe State as shown by the Auditor's lars. The manner of investing the permanent fund has differed in different States. In this State there is a difference of opinion, as to whether the fund should be loaned, or manipulated under the control and manageits finances depends the success and ment of one State head, or authority. tunately thus far for our State, its State, demand for improvement. To home securities. The school lands are hand. ments designated for the past two county authorities, who have in hand have been appropriated by legislative and returns formally made to the vacate the chair of state, and turn points will be referred to under appro- of indebtednessfor lands sold \$1,119. model farm, in connection with the law, and the proclamation issued from whom I know will readily and cheer-Government being universally rec- nually; whereas, it has returned, un-The following description of a dress ognized among the wants of men, its worn by a young lady at a recent ball maintenance is provided for by conin Marshall, Texas, is taken from the tributions from all interested in its one year of \$42,652.66. Again, in the and eleven acres, leaving a balance That portion of unorganized terrisome will "burst their bilers."—Seward Reporter.

racy to seize control of the legislature or she is protected, as nearly as possiinterest promptly, some not at all.

or she is protected, as nearly as possiinterest promptly, some not at all.

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT LANDS.

There were departed base been select.

people in any such way. They al- Looking at it in this light we cannot ste generals were on the upper skirts, sider it a burthen or simposition thus warrants. State certificates of indext- ed and confirmed, five hundred thoutogether with pictures of the Ala- to contribute. While it is contended edness, and local school district bonds, sand acres. By acts of the legislature, ways drown their misery by filling doubt the authority of the Governor bama and Sumter; on her shoulders that any exemption from taxation is every mill has been paid promptly. the whole of these lands have been that any exemption from taxation is every mill has been paid promptly. to put down the insurrection by just such force as was necessary. The battles; manacles and chains were on jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with the successful were streamers with which school jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with which school jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with which school jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with which school jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with which school jectionable in practice. The exemption of one dollar from taxation, only appropriated and control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers with the successful were streamers with which school in the control of the successful were streamers wit their boilers up with rot gut whisky. to put down the insurrection by just were streamers with the successful wrong in principle, it is equally ob-The West Point Republican says whole body being unlawfully assemtiation of railroads and bridges. In the struction of railroads and bridges. In the struct

> STATE UNIVERSITY. * * * * *

yield revenue. With universal and sity are shown to be, for the year 1873, The whole of these lands were, by act 5 In compliance with an act of yield revenue. With universal and sity are shown to be, for the year 1874, \$26,805. of date February 10th, 1871, transfer-legislature, passed at its last see

the poor man, designed to be benefit- 63. In these expenditure are embrac- red, or appropriated to aid in the conted by existing exemptions, will have ed the items of \$8,154.51, paid for put-struction of the state penitentiary. The general government amount of the state penitentiary. by far less to pay than now; so small ing in portions of the new foundation PENITENTIARY LANDS. There claimed to be due this State for an amount in fact, that the tax-gath- of the building; \$380 30, repairs on were donated for the erection of a five per cent. upon lands disp erer will be unable to make change, the chapel, and other items of per- State Penitentiary fifty sections, by Indian reservations, locality It is not the persons of limited means manent character. The actual run- which in addition to the twenty sec- military land warrants and agriwho obtain the advantage of either ning expenses of the University are tions before named, made seventy sec- ral college scrip; also for the race exemptions or evasions, but they of about \$20,000.00 each year. The great- tions applicable for that purpose. Of of swamp lands. Thus far, The people of this State complain dations of the outer walls of the build- in the erection of buildings, forty- hesitency in announcing a belia of excessive taxation, and are dispos- ing will need to be replaced at no dis- three thousand one hundred and the justness of these claims, and

NORMAL SCHOOL

dormitory, and is valued at \$15,000. and forty acres yet unconfirmed.

The expense of conducting the tion. Recommends a judiciously adjusted school for two years, has been about system of revenue, and that the Leg- \$20,000. The salaries of teachers and islature should not inaugurate a new some other expenses have been unhands, an honor to the State, his is that he exacted \$250.00 from someishing rapidity and become too numfriends and himself. Nebraska may hody for a Senatorial service rendered The crude and erroneous idea former- tion is submitted that in voting bonds the current two years. This sum, be- supply sufficent endowment to carry ceased, proceedings had been clos as subsidy a two-thirds vote should be sides defraying current expenses, will required to carry them. Attention is finish the building, provide somecalled and instances cited to the ine- what for the library and apparatus the people.

The work which has been, and is "In the matter of taxation," says now being done in this school, is of ally platted, consisted of two hundred the Governor, "I reiterate the propo- vital importance to the educational and eighty-seven blocks, or three sition announced in my preceding interests of the State, and cannot be thousand four hundred and eightymessage, that the true principle is to over-fostered nor over-estimated. The seven lots. Of these sixteen blocks exempt nothing. Let the property of rooms in the basement are in great were donated for public squares and each individual who enjoys the pro- need of completion for model school railroad depot purposes. One huntection of the government, to be tax- purposes. The library, apparatus, dred and fifty-five lots were deeded ed to sustain it, at its actual cash val- and cabinet are very meagre indeed.

DEAF AND DUMB INSTITUTE.

The report of the Board of Directors running expenses will about \$8,000. provoments. Thirty six pupils are number of deaf mutes in the State do er in Nebraska, 190.75 miles; Atchi- The opinion, with valuable refer. The report of the SuperIntendent not profit by the provision made for Public Instruction for the years them, as large a proportionate numconsideration and action. These re- 1873 and 1874 is most gratifying to the ber avail themselves of the benefits

The total number of inmates is fifty-

all applying.

ed indebtedness. There are now out- our people, but to the ability and un- Warden, Inspectors, Physician and ceive to be a well founded belief, that general for the state ber of prisoners incarcerated are 54 universally conceded. The total current expenses of the prison for the two years 1873 and 1874. age of about \$538 per prisoner per ing, responsible and difficult duty to bor at 42 cents per day is \$4,343.64, or this labor there is now due from one tional and law provisions. The Gov- roundings; but rather that which is contractor, unpaid, \$3,418.45. Esti- ernor is convinced of the "great im-

> But forty-one cases of sickness have occurred within the past two years, and but one death since the establishment of the prison.

Legislature for that purpose, an excelvolumes is provided and in use by the other. The Chaplain reports favorably and encouragingly as to the moral im-

unpaid on work, as per contract, \$115,- ter. An instance of this character has will in nowise conflict with the idea completion portions of the buildings sentenced to one days, imprisonment now in process of construction will be in the penitentiary, followed by a pe- mining actual cash values. Circumpresented for your consideration. A personal knowledge of facts and nec- jury, asking pardon. essities, induces me to recommend that at least the cell portion of the

convicts are merely herded as it were. Nothing tends to feverishness and Insane Asylum. State authorities. The most prosper- facts, or information in relation to the State as to the disbursement of quired by law, bave been issued for

621.44, which should yield, if prompt- agricultural department of the state this office, and commissions for coun- fully co-perate with you in every laudly collected and accounted for, to the university, two sections; for the use ty officers granted. It has since been able effort to promote the prosperity temporary school fund, \$111,962.15 an- of insane hospital one-fourth of a sec- ascertained that the whole proceed- and welfare of a people, for whom

No, those fellows will not bless the feating the Kellogg government .- in the centre; photographs of Confed- abilities. No good citizen will con- ent State Board in general fund State There were donated, have been select- to the approval of the legislature.

was entitled to. PUBLIC BUILDING LANDS. There per cent. due on all sales of public have been received twenty sections lands, fifteen thousand two hundred ers, this 6th day of January, A. D. 1875. The entire expenses of the Univer- designated as for public buildings, and nineteen dollars and fifteen cents.

er portions, perhaps all, of the foun- these there have been sold and used have been unsuccessful. I have eighteen acres, leaving on hand, un- recommend that you memorial disposed of, one thousand six hun- Congress to grant them. This indispensable branch of our

dred and seventy-six acres. UNIVERSITY LANDS. Seventy-two

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE LANDS. with David Butler," of date ants. Two hundred and ten students and selected, of which eighty-nine settled the claim by taking are enrolled. The old building has thousand four hundred and sixty acres therefor as provided by law been fitted up for a boarding hall and yet confirmed, leaving five hundred riginal debt was \$16,881 25

The new building cost\$28,500 and the On entering upon the duties of my \$23,633 74, for which a warranty hereby communicate to you "the con- dollar. In fact, the two mill tax for furniture and fixtures \$3,000. There office, I found none of the lands despertinent to some main point that we people of Nebraska, were it possible riented as for the university and agreely knew where to commend to leave the cettlement of the State, and recommend to leave the cettlement of the State and recommend to leave the cettlement of the State and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend to leave the cettlement of the state and recommend scarcely knew where to commence to leave the settlement of the Sena- per is found on the high, dry plateaus such measures as experience and State expenditures, as it is apportioncutting but we think we give all the torial question to that arbitrament, of New Mexico and Arizona, and the judgment deem expedient," which in led semi-annually to the several countries of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of reports information and the law framed for that belonging to the terms of the law framed for that belonging to the terms of the law framed for that belonging to the terms of the law framed for that belonging to the terms of the law framed for t connection with your own wisdom, it ties. Therefore the total for all State per acre, making the total Normal provisions of the law framed for that belonging to the temporary set School improvements valuation \$49,- purpose, I had the lands selected, and fund, additional legislation is have since procured their confirma- ed to equitably adjust.

It is then recommended that the Regents should be authorized to sell | these institutions without expense to finally in that court. And after di

LINCOLN CITY LOTS.

The capital city, Lincoln, as originin consideration of lots in the old without which it is impossible to af- Lancaster town-site. Twelve lots ford and impart a proper degree of were donated to the state historical society, forty to the various churches and benevolent societies, and twelve to the Lincoln steam mill company. Two thousand nine huudred and thirthe two years past of \$19,295,49, leav- and fourteen lots remain unsold. The ing a balance of the appropriation un- unsold lots are principally in the Salt

RAILROADS.

On the 1st day of January, 1875, expense. In view of these facts it is there were one thousand one hundred recommended that this estate when and seven and sixty-nine hundredths finally escheated, be especially appro-(1107.69) miles completed railroads in priated for the purpose of erecting a the state. The Union Pacific, 450,90 memorial school building in the dismiles; Burlington and Missouri Riv- triet in which it is situated. & Missouri Valley, 50.75 miles; Oma- vention is recommended; also, that ha & Northwestern, 40 miles; Sioux the legislature should provide for the City & Pacific, 26.96 miles; Brownville & Ft. Kearney, 10 miles.

With regard to legislating upon the nuestion of transportation by railroads the Governor says by way of caution: No interest is of so great importance state custodian of the books and pa-

free from prejudices or blind impulses, power whatever to act officially in any The management of the Hospital There are those who, failing to com- manner. The United statutes has been utterly impossible to receive some portions of the country. While office indispensible. I therefore ap I wish it distinctly understood that pointed my private secretary. J. H in no wise am I an apologist for any Alford, as assistant adjutant general. man, corporation, or anything tend- For the reasons given, it is recoming in the least to oppression of mo- mended that the governor be author-The fifth annual Reports of the nopoly, I am free to assert what I con ized, by an act, to appoint ad adjutant Chaplain in detail, are transmitted, railroads have made the west, and by which it will be seen that the num- that their value is incalculable and

THE PARDONING POWER is referred to as "the most embarrass mate for the coming two years, \$45,- propriety of vesting this power in any one individual.'

Extremists argue that this high pre-With the appropriation made by the court. When the facts are, it was Adaptation to wool growing is supecreated and vested for that sole pur- rior, with commensurate natural molent and well selected library of 438 pose, and no other-can be used for no live power for its manufacture at

provement, and reformatory tenden- recognize and appeal to it as such .as to the erection of the prison now in live aid or elemency, to set aside process of construction, show as before what they have just enunciated, claim-

The Governor here refers to the building be completed as speedily as damage done by storms to the capitol, possible. There being no cells, the to the repairs he caused to be made, by class of capital referred to. virtue of the law making the Governor custodian of all the property of the State. Also necessary rapairs of

NEW COUNTIES ORGANIZED.

Since the last session of the legisla-

papers were issued for the organiza-MONEYS COLLECTED. I have collected and paid into the

THE BUTLER DEET. In compliance with the provi of "an act to provide for the tion and settlement of certain to date of settlement \$6,752 48

ESCHEATED ESTATE. On the 22d of June, 1874, I was at gent search by publication and other wise, for kindred, none had t found. The estate consists of hundred and sixty acres of land principally improved; judgments in the hands of Probate Judge amount. ing to \$519 72; eash and sundries in the hands of the administrator to the amount of \$238 14, together with the erop of 1874. This being the first in stance of escheatment in the State and our statute making no provision for procedure, the matter is referred

It being necessary the farm should be cared for, I appointed Giles R. Reeder, the administrator, as trustes for the State.

for legislative action.

The title to the farm having been perfected after the death of Hooper s vested in Reeder, as administrator Mr. Hooper, during his life-time. was an ardent friend of, and laborer to have had in view the erection of a school house in his district, at his own

Provision for a Constitutional Conpayment of claims now unprovided

The act repealing the act creating

Permit me to suggest the propriety vear. The total amount of convict la- perform devolving upon the chief ex- Shylock grasps, to avail itself of proecutive," under the present constitu- fits the outgrowth of necessitous surrogative should never be exercised to tendencies. In this State exist many set aside the verdict or sentence of a natural advantages to be developed -The framers of the constitution, and the sugar beet have shown admirable the law makers had that object direct- results. The same may be said as to ly in view. The courts themselves culture of flax, dairy, and other in-They convict and follow sentence with name further in detail. In those The report of the Prison Inspectors an immediate application for Execu- states where manufactories exist and flourish most extensively, it has been the contract price of the building to lng that the law, in cases made and couragement, to exempt from taxabe \$307,950. Total value of work done provided, is imperative, requiring tion for a series of years, the fixed, or to date, \$192,207.79. Balance due and strict observance of the form and let- dead capital invested. Such a policy been presented for my consideration of general taxation for revenue, as The matter of hastening to further and action, in which a convict was suggested in another chapter, when tition from the judge, prosecutor and stances will not permit detailed disfice it, therefore, to merely call attened assertion, that what we most need now in this State, is that desirable

The Governor then speaks of the centennial celebration, and hopes the legislature "will take such action as will secure the honorable and advantageous representation of our young State in the contemplated reunion at

ROB'T W. FURNAS.

TAXES! TAXES!

THAT the Tax Duplicate for the year 1874 I is in my hands for collection. The Taxes or 1874 become due on the 1st day of Janua-State Treasury, a check furned over the rate of one per cent, per month on and There are also a large amount of Taxes delinquent are hereby notified that unless they Received by me from the same company, for lots condemned for railroad purposes, one thousand dollars.

Received from the United States

Tand description of the United States Take warning and save costs by paying up

Land department, Washington, five promptly. A. H. GILMORE, Co. Treasurer.